

CHIOS EDUCATION SECTOR SUB-WORKING

GROUP MEETING MINUTES

TUESDAY, 12 MARCH 2019 (9.00-10.00AM)@ METADRASI EDUCATION CENTRE,
CHIOS, GREECE



MEETING AGENDA

- Review of action points
- Updates on Formal Education
- Updates on Non-Formal Education
- Gaps analysis/needs assessment with reference to current demographics
- AOB

AGENDA ITEM	DISCUSSION POINT	ACTION POINTS
Review of action points	RECs: reiterate with MoE the issue of interpretation for their communication with parents and explore the possibility of provision of interpretation services, through interpreters deployed by MoE	Pending
	UNHCR: undertake the translation of the information leaflet on the enrolment procedure	Pending. Need changes to registration and working hours
	UAC: in case expressed interest of UAC is marked as high, liaise with the Secondary Education Directorate and EPAL to explore the capacity of EPAL to accommodate the number of UAC interested	Done
	RECs/ESSWG: in case attendance of UAC to EPAL is permitted by the authorities, address a request to MoMP through RIS for including in the bus service budget of MoMP the transportation of UAC of the RIC from and to the EPAL	Pending

	<p>NFE/ESSWG: raise with the RIC Director the set up of a common registration day to all non-formal education actors for her endorsement and suggestion of the location.</p> <p>RIS: raise with the RIC Director and the IT unit of RIS the need for sharing with the ESSWG the updated demographic statistics of the current RIC population (children and adults)</p> <p>RECs/Imagine Centre: liaise in order to set up the escorting of students from Vial to the RSRE (DYEP) schools, by volunteers of the Imagine Centre</p> <p>METAdrasi: share the Greek lesson schedule for UAC with RIS</p>	<p>Pending</p> <p>Pending</p> <p>Done</p> <p>Done</p>
Updates on Formal Education	<p>DYEP primary/ gymnasium:</p> <p>RECS informed the ESSWG participants that the 70% of children aged 4-14 years old (born between 2004 -2014) are enrolled to RSRE (DYEP) and there are no drop-outs.</p> <p>Due to the high number of children enrolled in the RSRE kindergarten (39), a kindergarten afternoon shift will start operation this week. Two nursery teachers for the afternoon shift have been recruited and deployed.</p> <p>With regard to the bus route from Vial RIC to the RSRE (DYEP) school, escorting of students will be provided by volunteers of the Imagine Centre twice per week. Next</p>	

	<p>week, this issue will be reviewed between RECs and the Imagine Center. The escorting of students on the bus from the RSRE (DYEP) school to Vial RIC, continues being facilitated by volunteers of the Imagine Centre.</p>	
<p><i>Updates on Non-Formal Education</i></p>	<p><u>6-22 years old (NFE/VIAL RIC and off-site):</u></p> <p>IOM informed the ESsWG participants that the information session on public education to UAC took place and the Secondary education Director, the Public Prosecutor, the RIC Director First Reception, METAdrasi, and UNHCR attended. The outcome of this event was 19 UAC, aged 15-17 years old, expressing interest for attending the public school (Chios EPAL-vocational lyceum).</p> <p>A meeting between the IOM and the Director of First EPAL was arranged in order to address practical issues, such as enrolment procedures and the schedule of the public school. The registration process is under way and the applications are to be signed by the Public Prosecutor.</p> <p>With regard to the transportation, either the Director of EPAL will provide transportation cards to students for free access to the public bus, either IOM will cover the cost of a bus on a daily basis.</p> <p>METAdrasi / RECs informed the participants on the 3-day psychosocial sessions that took place for teenagers, in cooperation with Praksis. The aim of these sessions is for children to develop good interrelations in view of their transportation to RSRE (DYEP) school.</p>	

AOB	METAdrasi informed the ESsWG participants that the translations of Messages on Education Services on Chios are ready and already sent to UNHCR in order to distribute them.	
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NEXT MEETING:

TUESDAY, 02 APRIL 2019 (9.30-10.30AM) @ THE EDUCATION CENTER OUTSIDE
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